The Illinois Legislative Situation.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., January 27 .-

After a brief session this afternoon the

Assembly adjourned till to-morrow

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A dispatch received here last evening

states that State-Senator Bridges (Demo

crat), of Carrollton, was stricken with

paralysis, and is in a precarious condi-

tion. He has been in infirm health for some time and threatened with the dis-

order which has at last come upon him.

It is believed by those who are advised

of his situation that he will not be able

to return to the Legislature. This re-

port has occasioned a great deal of con-cern here on the part of politicians. The interest of his personal friends

in his welfare is quite overshadowed

by the discussion that is going on as to

the new phase the senatorial question

must assume in the event either of his

death or continued absence. Demo-

crats are already planning as to how

they shall proceed in the event of their

losing his vote on the senatorship. In addition to the news about the unfortu-

nate senator, word has been received

that Mr. Choisser, of Saline, is sick

and will not be here before Wednesday

night. This, of course, means no per

manent organization of the House be

The Oregon Senatorship

The Democratic members of the Legis

lature held a caucus late last night and

passed a resolution to vote solidly for

some Democrat for United States sena-

tor. One ballot was taken to-day and

resulted: James H. Slater (Democrat).

35. The Republican votes were as fol-

lows : Solomon Hirsh, of Portland, 13;

W. Carey Johnson, of Oregon City, 8; R. R. Boise, of Salem, 5; M. C. George, of Portland, 5; W. D. Hare,

of Washington county, 4; Henry Far-

ling, of Portland, 3; George H. Wil-

liams, of Portland, 2-the remainder

scattering. Forty-six votes are re-

quired to select. The above ballot does not indicate the full strength of

any one candidate, but it is expected

that the balloting to-morrow will de-

Arkansas Senator

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] LITTLE ROCK, ARK., January 27.-

The last ballot taken in the Legislature

to-day for United States senator re-

sulted as follows: Dunn, 42; Berry,

Voting for Senator in Wisconsin.

By telegraph to the Dispatch.

Madison, Wis., January 27 .- The

senate and Assembly took separate bal-

ots to-day for United States senator.

In the Senate Spooner received 18 and Bragg 12 votes. In the Assembly

Ingalls Ahead.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

TOPEKA, Ks., January 27 .- The vote

n the Senate to-day for United States

senator was: John J. Ingalls, 39;

galls, 106; Glick, 3; C. W. Blair, 4.

By telegraph to the Dispatch

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 27 .-

The conferrees upon the temporary

sion for the Navy Department for the

last half of the current fiscal year

reached an agreement to-day. The bill

appropriates \$6,120,000 for the half

prohibiting the repairs of wooden ships.

or of the engines and machinery

complished at an expenditure of 30 per

centum of the estimated cost of new ships and machinery, has been amended

by limiting the expenses of such re-

pairs to 20 per centum of the cost of

Enilway Trains Delayed by Snow.

wooden ships, beyond what may b

new ships or machinery.

naval appropriation bill making prov

W. Glick, I. In the House: In-

Spooner received 58 and Bragg 30.

39; Jones, 36; Duval, 4; Rose, 1.

velope this.

PORTLAND, OREGON, January 27.

cans join Sittig in voting for Haines.

fore Thursday, unless other Republi-

[From Our Regular Correspondent.] WASHINGTON, January 27 .- I asked Mr. Willis, of Kentucky, last night what were the chances of the Blair educational bill. He replied, "There is a majority for it, and if the majority takes the bit in its mouth it will pass. The trouble evidently is that the rules of the House at a short session will enable a minority to defeat any measure, however meritorious." There has been an objection raised that this bill, which embraces an appropriation, ought not to have originated in the Senate. The remarks of Mr. Hunter in the Senate are quoted in support of the position that the Senate had the right to originate this bill. He said : "We exercise the power in almost every little pension case and in thousands of bills in which we appropriate money. The re-striction in the Constitution has been decided in this body only to apply to those bills which provide for raising revenue—taxing-bills, &c." By the way, whenever Mr. Hunter is quoted By th by members of either body of Congress it is as "the eminent senator from Virginia." This was the term applied to him by Senator Edmunds, of Vermont, when discussing the silver question some sessions ago, and other congress men without regard to party adopted it. It is seldom that a member of either house after a long term of service leaves such a record behind

THE MEXICAN PENSION BILL. Citizens of Wisconsin, Illinois, New York, Ohio, Indiana, and Iowa are petitioning Congress to pass the Mexican pension bill as passed by the House and amended by the Senate. There are no petitions from the South for it in its present shape, because the bill as it passed the House was what southern Mexican veterans wanted, and what they deserved for their services in war that added a territory to our domain equal to an ordinary empire. I have already stated that the amendments were offered with a view of defeating the bill. THE MASSACHUSETTS SENATORSHIP.

Senator Dawes has been in both houses of Congress for a good many years, and a good deal of interest s manifested by Republicans in regard to his return to the Senate. feeling among the best-informed Massachusetts people here is that Governor Robinson will best him. Governor Robinson was a leading representative from Massacuhsetts in the last Congress. The election will not take place for a year yet, and it is hard to tell what ombination may be formed. The hardest blows Mr. Dawes has received du ring his senatorial career were from Mr. Blaine, when he presented a statue of William King, the first Governor of his State, to the United State Government.

THE POST-OFFICE APPROPRIATION

The post-office appropriation bill went to the full committee of the House Committee to-day. It contains important provisions, as it provides that letters weighing an ounce shall be carried for two cents, and reduces the postage on newspapers sent to subscribers to one cent a pound. It also permits postmasters to rent post-office buildings where they are needed for five years, instead of one, as now required by law. This is in the interest of economy. The Appropriations Committee is rapidly completing the general appropriation bills, and as they have the right of way it will be difficult for other bills to ge

CABINET SPECULATIONS TO-DAY. The New Hampshire people here say the Cabinet; but the trouble is that New England did not give any support to Mr. Cleveland. I asked one of the best-informed Democratic politicians today to give me his candid opinion as to Mr. Cleveland's Cabinet. Said he, " I am sure that Bayard and Garland will be members of it." "Who else," I asked, "have the best chance?" He replied, "Why, McDonald for Secre-tary of War, and Stockton for Secretary of the Navy." "Who will be Post-master-General?" I asked. He replied, · Barbour, of Virginia, if he is properly pressed."

THE VIRGINIA COUPON CASES. The Attorney-General to-day moved

in the Supreme Court to advance, with a view to as an early decision as practicable, all the Virginia coupon cases upon the ground that under the decision of the United States Circuit Court the Commonwealth is practically restrained from collecting its revenue

THE SENATE ON TREATIES.

The Senate has paid most of its attention to the treaties-to-wit : the Nicaraguan, the Spanish, and Mexican treaties. It is hard to ascertain what will be done in the executive session of this body, but those who have the best sources of information say that the Spanish and Mexican treaties cannot get through Congress. The Nicaraguan treaty has a better show, however, to

THE INAUGURATION PREPARATIONS. A member of the Inauguration Committee informed me that the prepara-tions are almost complete and the funds are ample. This is a most important One firm has subscribed five thousand dollars. I have never known citizens so willing to rent their best rooms on such an occasion. What is more, their charges, if properly regulated, will not be extravagant.

THE HALLETT-KILBOURNE CASE. Ex-Sergeant-at-Arms Thompson, of the House, was before the Judiciary Committee of the House to-day, and wanted it to allow him \$5,000 for expenses in the Hallett-Kilbourne case, but this was refused. It was agreed, however, that \$3,000 should be paid his counsel. The indications are that nothing will be done in regard to this matter this session. It will be remember-ed that Mr. Kilbourne was imprisoned by order of the House, and that Mr.

Thompson was his jailer.

THE RICHMOND POSTMASTERSHIP. I have taken further efforts to ascertain who will be selected as successor of Dr. Gilmer as postmaster for his unexpired term, and I find that Republicans say Mr. Blair Morris will. I am astonished that they are not able to give more positive information. They seem to be willing, however, to do so. When Democrats are asked in regard to it they laugh derisively, because they seem certain that Mr. Cleveland will not permit himself to be circumvented by anybody. THE RESIGNATION OF A SENATOR.

Judge Cartter, of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, is about to resign, and I hear that Senator Conger, of Michigan, will resign and take his place. Senator Conger was the caucus objector in the House before he was elected to the Senate. He did better in the former body than he has done since his transfer to higher honors. The fact is that there are a good many men who are efficient in the House

who fail when they go to the Senate. For example, Mr. Hale, of Maine, was a better every-day leader in the House than Garfield, who was best on parade ecasions; but he has hardly come up occasions; but he has hardly come up to expectations in the Senate. Then Mr. Blaine was a "a great commoner" in the popular branch of Congress, but he could not compete with Eaton, of Connecticut, in a debate involving con-stitutional law. This was noticeable on a memorable night. There are a number of senators on both sides who ber of senators on both sides who

would make great leaders in the House. . THE ARMY BILL was before the House this afternoon. It appropriates the usual amount to support " the boys in blue." By the way. the interest on the part of those who have served in the United States army is increasing in favor of the proposed Confederate Soldiers' Home. I hear that the Grand Army of the Re organization here will ask for the use of the inauguration ball-room for an entertainment on the night of the 5th of March in aid of this institution.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS. The Secretary of the Navy has received information that there are no fili-

busters at Key West.

Mr. Bayard says the Nicaraguan treaty ought not to be ratified just before the coming in of a new Administration.

The Senate Committee on Indian Affairs commenced to-day an investigation of the Oklahoma-lands question, and reached no conclusion. The question is whether the Indians will relinquish their claims, and upon what terms. Lieutenant-Commander Samuel Baker

has been made a commander in the Government receipts to-day: Internal revenue, \$131,066; customs, \$585,-

The investigation of the Indian leases will go on through the summer. Representative Libbey and General B. F. Butler were among the visitors at

the White House to-day.

The fact that the President nominated William M. Burwell for naval officer of customs at the port of New Orleans to-day recalled to Virginians reminiscences of the past. He represented Bedford county in the Legislature, and was one of the best talkers in the body.

XLVIHTH CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, January 27, 1885.

Senate. Mr. Maxey, from the Committee Military Affairs, reported favorably the bill to grant the right of way to the New Orleans and Mississippi-Valley Railroad Company through the public grounds at Baton Rouge, La. Placed on the calendar. Mr. Harris, from the same commit

tee, reported favorably a joint resolution authorizing the loan of flags and bunting to the District Committee on Inauguration Ceremonies. The joint re solution was read three times and pass

Mr. Morrill, from the Committee on Finance, reported favorably, with amendment, House bill for the retirement and recomage of the trade-dol-

Mr. Morrill gave notice that he would call up the bill Monday next.

Mr. Harris said the bill was not a nanimous expression of the Committee on Finance, but of a majority of that committee. The Senate passed the bill removing the political disabilities of W. H. Ward,

of Virginia. A resolution offered by Mr. Morgan was agreed to requesting the President, if not incompatible with public interest, to communicate to the Senate the correspondence between the United States vernment and the Government of Liberia respecting arbitration between the latter country and Great Britain upon the boundary-line between Liberia and

The Senate at 1 P. M. went into ex-

At 4:08 P. M. the doors were considered open so far as to allow of the presentation by Mr. Hale of the conference report on the naval appropria-

Mr. Hale said the bill had been stripped of all new legislation, and it was an itemized appropriation bill, under which the conduct of the Navy Department, its course of action, and the gislation under which it existed, were

ot changed.

Mr. Beck said he was willing to surender everything that the House decircl because the naval appropriations had been exhausted, and three or four thousand persons, with families to support, whose employment was not by salary, but by day's wages, had been keeping idle since the 1st of January without any possibility of getting other employment. He hoped Congress employment. would make some provision for those people in the deficiency bill or else-

The conference report was adopted. Executive business was again resumed and continued till 5:35 P. M., when the Senate adjourned.

Hense of Representatives.
Mr. White, of Kentucky, rising orrect the Journal, demanded that the joint resolution introduced by him yes terday abolishing the office of Commis sioner of Internal Revenue be read.

The Speaker stated that the Journal was correct, and that it was not competent for the gentleman to demand th eading of the resolution.

Mr. White then complained that the ext of the resolution was not printed in the Record, and the Speaker replied that he had informed the official reporter that under the rules the resolution should not be printed.

The District of Columbia appropria-

tion bill was taken up and passed.

The morning hour having been dispensed with, Mr. White, of Kentucky, rising to a question of privilege, offered a resolution declaring that it is unjust to

the official reporters of the House for the Speaker to be allowed to revise their notes in accordance with his views of rules or propriety.

Exception was promptly taken to Mr. White's resolution and his remarks upon it, and it was decided that he had raised no question of privilege; but in the course of the debate he gained his object, which was to secure the insertion in the Record of a joint resolution offered by him yesterday declaring that the Secretary of the Treasury and Commissioner of Internal Revenue had violated the laws, and providing for the abolition of the office of Internal-Revenue Commissioner and the entire internal-revenue system. He made his re-

The Speaker had instructed the reporters that as the resolutions had been offered only for reference, they did not properly form a part of the record. Mr. White was several times hissed

solution a part of his remarks to-day.

and called to order, and at other times he created a good deal of amusement. The House then at 1:25 went into Committee of the Whole-Mr. Mills, of Texas, in the chair—on the army appro-priation bill. After brief general de-bate, the bill was read by paragraphs

for amendments. When the paragraph for the pay of the army was reached Mr. McComas, of Maryland, offered an amendment authorizing the retirement of General lary. They were confronted by Major (250,000 was paid out.

General. It was ruled out on a point of order raised by Mr. Forney, of Als-bama, who has charge of the bill. Mr. Sumner, of California, offered an

Baumgartner, the night marshal, who shot one of them through the body, kill-ing him instantly. One of the burglars-then shot Baumgartner in the back with a revolver. His recovery is doubtful. The burglars then stole a horse and sleigh and escaped, leaving their dead comrade behind. amendment providing that the cost of telegrams on official business received and sent by the officers of the army shall not exceed the amount paid by the Government under contract for tele-grams of a similar length sent to and from the signal-service stations. without taking a vote upon the perma-nent speakership, owing to the absence of a number of Democratic members.

An amendment was adopted giving courts-martial the right to sit at such times as they may see fit.

The committee then rose and reporte

the bill to the House, and it was passed. Mr. Hewitt, of New York, moved that the House go into Committee of the Whole to consider the revenue bills, his object being to call up the bill to carry into effect the convention between the United States and Mexico signed on the 20th of January, 1883. It was lost-60 to 26. Adjourned.

DYNAMITE.

sion of the Late Explosions-Cor

[By cable to the Dispatch,] LONDON, January 27 .- The Times in its leading editorial to-day, says " Englishmen reading the speech of Mr. Parnell at Milltown, yesterday, will not discover even a passing allusion to the monstrous and inhuman outrages of Saturday." The speech, the Times says, was confined to stale denunciations of English landlordism and Dublin Castle, yet Mr. Parnell must have been aware of what was done by the other and perhaps rival laborers in the sacred cause of Ireland's independence at Westminster and the Tower.

Several of the morning papers find it necessary to publish notices to their readers stating that they have received hundreds of letters regarding the explo sions which they have been unable to publish for want of space. Many of the more characteristic or important letters are published, however, and they occupy several columns in each paper. Most of the letters urge retaliation against all Irishmen, and some of the plans proposed for their punishment are as ingenious as they are absurd. Several Irish workmen complain

that they were discharged from employment on Monday morning for no other reason than that they were Irish men, and that in many mills, foundries, etc., placards are displayed which read, "No Irish Employed." London, January 27.—Solicitor Quilliam, of this city, has been engaged to defend Cunningham, now under ar rest for complicity in last Saturday explosions in London. An ample fund of money has been placed at the so licitor's disposal. Oynamite Damage

LONDON, January 27 .- Colonel Maendie and his colleagues are unanious in the conclusion that the strutural damage to both the House o Commons and Westminster Hall is only The cost of restoring the stained window in the south hall is estimated at \$5,000.

The force of police in all the London prisons has been doubled. Parliament will be asked to vote an appropriation for an additional police fund.

Precautions Against Dynamiters. LONDON, January 27 .- In some r spects the panic produced by Satur day's events has really increased. Fearwere entertained yesterday that the dy namiters meditated an attack upon th national arsenals and naval stations and they were placed under special watch. At Chatham dock-yard the police were kept affoat during the er tire night. To-day instructions were issued to put a stop to all ingress at the Tower, the House of Commons, and Westminster Hall. Sierra Leone; also the instructions given Admiral Shufeldt as umpire in the matter, at Parliament buildings have been locked and barred, and a barricade has been thrown across the hall at the top of the staircase. The injured are all re-

ported to be improving.

Dynamics Sensation in New York.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] NEW YORK, January 27.—This afternoon Eugene W. Spofford, of the firm of Spofford Brothers, No. 27 State street discovered lying in the hallway of the second floor of the building an oddooking package partly wrapped up in a newspaper, to which was attached a lighted fuse. The fuse was extinguished and the bundle carried into the office Here it was opened and found to con-tain a cylindrical-shaped tin box, varnished over. It was about eight inche wide and four high, with a hole in the top, and there was a quantity of blue owder within. Several gentlemen who were present pronounced the powder to The British Consul-General's offices are on the second floor of

the building.

Later developments showed that the affair was simply a hoax perpetrated evidently for the purpose of causing a sensation. The tin-box contained about a quarter of a pound of a black powder, which later investigation proved to be Smalt's coloring material used by painters, and perfectly harmless. The fuse consisted simply of a wire covered with gutta-percha, and it was not lit. The British Consul and Vice-Consul said they regarded the affair as a hoax from

The Congressional Oynamite Resolution WASHINGTON, January 27 .- The House Committee on Foreign Affairs to-day postponed until Friday the consideration of the resolution referred to it yesterday, and calling upon the Secretary of State for information as to whether any citizen of the United States participated, directly or indirectly, in oringing about the recent explosions in London. While no vote was taken that would show the feeling of members towards the resolution, there was an expression of opinion that there was no occasion to begin an investigation. Members say that the resolution, as referred, will not be reported back to the House; one of a different character,

however, may be reported. Nominations and Confirmation

[By telegraph to the Dispaten.]
WASHINGTON, January 27.—The President to-day nominated William M. Burwell, of Louisiana, to be naval officer of the customs district of New Orleans, La.

The Senate confirmed the nomination of H. C. Minor, of Louisiana, to be collector of internal revenue for the district of Louisiana; Stanford E. Chaille, of Louisiana, to be a member of the National Board of Health, and the following postmasters: A. A. Wilson, at Savannah, Ga., and Joshua E. Wilson, at Florence, S. C. Suicide.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] MACON, GA., January 27 .- Thomas Spalding, aged thirty-five years, laid down on the railroad track in this city last night and was run over and instantly killed by a switch-engine.

Attempted Post-Office Robbery. [By telegraph to the Dispatch.] FORT WAYNE, IND., January 27.-At 2 o'clock this morning four unknown

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] CHICAGO, January 27.—The number of trains overdue and not heard from at the post-office was greater this morning than on any day since the beginning of the present season of intense cold and heavy snow-falls. From the few reports received it was learned that the snow is drifting badly on nearly all the main lines of railroads. Mails still out are of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, and Chicago, Lafayette and Cincinnati, Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, Chicago and Louisville, Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago (Limited), Buffalo and Chicago, and Port Huron and Chi-

engo. Fire in a Lunatic Asylum [By telegraph to the Dispat INDIANAPOLIS, January 27 .- A fire at the Insane Hospital here this morning was got under control after destroying the engine-room and laundry, and the bakery, and some smaller apartments located in a rear building nected with the main structure by a large three-story building containing the kitchen, sleeping-rooms for em-ployes, the chapel of the institution, finished only last spring, and the dryhouse. The loss is estimated at \$75,000. No insurance. There was no panic among the 1,700 patients, most of whom watched the fire, and no one was injured.

Morocco-Factory Burned.

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)
NEW YORK, January 27.—This afternoon the morocco-factory of G. F. Leonhardt, at 11 and 13 Schenck street, Brooklyn, took fire and was totally de stroyed. The loss will reach \$100,000. Fifty employes were at dinner in the building at the time, but all escaped. The engineer saved his life by jumping out of a window. The conflagration is supposed to have been caused by some skins soaked in naptha, which exploded and set fire to the building.

The Nicaraguan Treaty.

WASHINGTON, January 27 .- In the executive session to-day Senator Bayard continued and concluded his speech upon the Nicaraguan treaty; hich a running debate of an hour took place. Up to this time there have been no speeches in direct opposition to the treaty, the chief issues in the debate being the Clayton-Bulwer treaty and the advisability of immediate action upon the Nicaraguan treaty.

Hanged by a Mob.
[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] NEW ORLEANS, January 27 .- A pecial to the Times-Democrat from Meridian says: "A negro brute, known by the name of Bill, was hanged by a mob in Kemper county yesterday.' Run on a Bank.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., January 27 .-The run on the New Haven Savings Bank, which commenced Friday last, erminated before noon to-day. Over

ALL OVER THE STATE.

PETERSBURG AND VICINITY. ective Dividends-Escape of an

pondence of the Richmond Dispatch PETERSBURG, January 27, 1885. It is stated that should Judge Mann decide against the State and other judgment creditors in the suit testing the validity of the assignment made b the directors of the Planters and Me chanics Bank, and direct that the funds in hand be distributed equally to the creditors under that assignment, trustees will be able to pay a dividend of 23 per cent, at once. It is furthermore understood, should the deed

the bank will certainly be able to pay 52 per cent., and probably more. To-morrow has been fixed as the day for the trial of the remaining criminal prosecutions in connection with this bank, including the charge against several of the directors for conspiracy Among the counsel for the defence ou side of Petersburg are Messrs. Pegram & Stringfellow, of Richmond, and Hon Phil. W. McKinney, of Farmville. It is learned that the musical choruse

stand and no priorities be allowed, that

of Norfolk and Lynchburg have accept ed the invitation to take part in the fetival to take place here during the last week in May, Invitations have been sent to every choral society in Virginia and North Carolina to participate in the festival. The Petersburg Association has a splendidly-drilled chorus of nearly 100 voices.

Information from Henderson, N. C.

states that E. N. Maddera, one of the parties recently arrested in this city and sent out there on the charge of embezzling the funds of the Wheeler & Wilson Sewing-Machine Company escaped from custody a night or two ago, and has not since been appre hended.

The changes in the railroad system etween Richmond and Wilmington N. C., will be completed by the early part of next month, when trains will be run through between these points under one conductor, instead of under three, as at present. ROBIN ADAIR.

TAZEWELL COUNTY. Increased Output of Coal-Round Mountain and Other Items.

Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch TAZEWELL C. H., Jan. 25, 1885. Seven hundred miners are on the pay rolls of the Southwest Virginia Im provement Company, and the output of coal and coke is largely increased. Owing to the precaution that has been taken there appears to be no longer any apprehension of an explosion in the nines. There is some talk of a pool being established between the company operating at Pocahontas and the varie iterests on the new branch or the Flat-

Top companies. It is reported here to-day that Captain W. E. Perry has sold a half interest in his famous Round-Mountain property to Captain Harman Newberry. of Bland. This survey, comprising som thirty thousand acres, is considered the richest iron property in the State, and has on it several thousand acres of splendid white pine timber—probably the only extensive body of that wood in the State, or perhaps the South. Coal also abounds on the property, and copper appears in the immediate vicinity The whole tract was sold three years ago to Mr. Frazier, of Boston, who made a payment of \$16,000 on it. In cor quence, however, of his death, and the ollapse of the Richmond and Southwestern railway scheme, the property reverted, together with the

payment, to the original owner. We have had no snow yet of any ronsequence, and the constantly recurring changes from extreme cold to wheat crops beyond probable recovery. The late Mr. Stras, although extremely reticent about his progenitors, family. His father came to this country in consequence of political compli-

Another batch of our people will start to New Orleans next week. On their return they will make a hurried tour of Florida, with a view, perhaps, of establishing winter homes in that delightful clime.

Democrats here are rejoiced over the reelection of Virginia's honorary member of the Senate, Governor Vance, and hope that the fact of the suggestion coming from a Mahone-ridden county will not prevent leading Virginians from conferring upon him some suitable testimonial in recognition of his gallant championship.

There are no new cases of diphtheria who has identified Lieske as the assasin our immediate vicinity; in fact, there is less sickness of any kind than usual.

DANVILLE.

Sueden Beath-Land Sule-Raptist Lems. Correspondence of the Richmond Dispute

JANUARY 27, 1885. Dr. John R. Cabell, Jr., of Sandy River, in this county, son of Dr. Roy Cabell, and nephew of Hon. George Cabell, died quite suddenly on the 22d instant. He had been not in good health for some time, and on that day rode his horse to water, and at the watering-place fell off and died before any assistance could be rendered him. It is supposed he suffered from heartdisease. Dr. Cabell was about twentyfive years of age, had attended a Balti-more school, and had been engaged in practice about four years.

Major Sutherlin has bought at sale under deed of trust the tract of land sold by him to Mr. C. C. Tinsley lying on Cain creek, in this county, and measuring about 498 acres, for \$5,250-

about \$10.57 per acre.

At a meeting of the Baptist church last night Mr. John G. Miller, Jr., was elected treasurer in place of Mr. W. W. Waddill, who that evening had tendered to the state of the st dered his resignation and insisted on the acceptance of it. A rising vote of thanks was given Mr. Waddill for long and faithful service.

The total amount paid out to date for

the new building and lot was reported at \$31,799.38, and the amount from the old building and parsonage pro-perty was reported at \$7,310.29. The amount paid cash for the new parsonage was \$500. And the amount raised recently for the completion of the building and improvement of the premises-\$7.730-was last night run up to \$8,000, and there is hope that additions to this amount will be made by friends who have not yet been called upon. In the mean time steps have been taken for the commencement of work on the building—say about the middle ALPHA. of February.

DOWN BY THE SEA. Scarlet-Fever-The Shelling Case-Pickett

Buchavas Camp. Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch. NORFOLK, January 27, 1885. Scarlet-fever is prevailing to an alarm-ing extent in this city, and an article published by a doctor in one of the norning papers has made a sensation. No cases are reported in the public schools as yet, and every precaution is being taken in the city at large to pre-

vent the spread of the disease.

The exhaustive accounts of the Shelling murder, published in the New York

papers and reproduced in the Norfolk papers, have convinced the doubting Thomases that the Laird party who identified the remains told a straight story when in Norfolk, and the excitement has subsided. The manner in which Shelling met his death is as yet

a mystery, but his relatives evidently think he committed suicide. The members of the Pickett-Buchanan Camp, Confederate Veterans, held their annual meeting last night and elected Colonel J. Richard Lewellen, of the Ledger, commander in place of Captain James Barron Hope, of the Landmark, Captain Hope declining to serve during another term of office. The treasurer's report shows that the receipts for the year were \$10,973.32; disbursements, \$2,664.40; leaving a balance in bank of \$8,308.92 to the credit of the Camp. The committee appointed to investi

gate the Mayor's charges against the police met last night and formulated a report, but for the present it is not made The coal business of the Norfolk and Western Railroad Company is increasing daily, and there are now more ves-sels in port for coal and more coal on

the ground than ever before. The com pany say they will be ready for work at Lambert's Point on the 1st of February. ELIA. LURAY, VA., January 26, 1885. No. 2 passenger train on the Shenandoah Valley railroad, due here at 5:20 A. M., did not arrive to-day until 4 P. M., having run into a landslide near the

it is not known whether there were any passengers injured. FINCASTLE, January 26, 1885. A stable belonging to Mr. John Morgan, near town, was destroyed by fire last night. It is not known he fire originated. The loss is not very

large.

LATE WEATHER REPORT. [Special telegram to the Dispatch.] WASHINGTON, January 28-1:30 A. M .- For the Middle Atlantic States, warmer, partly cloudy weather, local snows, with rains in the southern portions, winds shifting to southerly, falling barometer, followed in the southern ortion by rising barometer.

For the South Atlantic States, warm r. partly cloudy weather, local rains, ollowed by colder weather, southerly shifting to westerly winds, falling followed by rising barometer.

The Weather in Richmond Yesterday Range of Thermometer Yesterday. 9 A. M. 3 P. M. 6 P. M. Midnight Mean temperature

No News from Stewart Yet. LONDON, January 27 .- Up to 2 clock this afternoon the War Office and received no further news in regard to General Stewart. General Wolseley elegraphs this afternoon from Korti that he expects to receive news from Stewart to-night or to-morrow. The large convoy sent by General Wolseley yesterday from Korti to Gakdul Well is proceed in the direction taken by General Stewart with all possible speed General Wolseley reports that the expedition which started Saturday from Hamdab by way of Abu Hamed for Berber, under the leadership of General Earle, is making favorable progress, and has not yet been been disturbed.

The London Times on Parnell. LONDON, January 27 .- The Times continues its onslaught on Parnell RAILROAD BONDS. with a stinging article, in which it says
Parnell's studied silence regarding the
Col. & Greensville 1st 6's... dynamite outrage calls to mind his at- Col. & Green, 2d 6's 67 tempt to ignore Mr. Forster's indict- Va. Midland income 6's ... ment of the Parnellites as moral ac- Piedmont R. R. 1st 8's complices of the Phoenix-Park assas- Petersburg 1st 5's, Class A. 91 sins. The Times assures the Irish agi- Pet. 2d 6's, Class B. tators that their present policy of murder and silence will not pay. They will never succeed in coercing the House R., F. & P. ext. 7's, 1995. ... R., Y. R. and Ches. 8's. ... 106 of Commons into accepting a naked R. and D. con. 6's, 1885...

revolution by means of spoliation. Arrest of an Aparchist. Beblin, January 27 .- An Anarchist amed Julius Lieske was arrested today at Hockenhiem, near Heidelberg, on the charge of being the murderer of Dr. Rumpff, chief of police of Frankfort. The police claim they have a witness who saw the murder committed and

Irishmen Out of Employment in Lou-

DUBLIN, January 27.—The London correspondent of the Freeman's Jour-nal telegraphs that five thousand Irishmen are out of employment in the east end of London, and that demonstrations against the Irish have commenced.

The French Force in Tonquin. PARIS. January 27.—The Temps tates that on the arrival of the renforcements sent to Tonquin the total force in that country, including the Annamite sharpshooters under French

command, will equal 40,000 men. Senator Riddleberger on the Irish. NEW YORK, January 27 .- A comnittee of Irish-American residents of this city to-day sent the following dis-patch to United States Senator Riddleberger, of Virginia, for his speech and

vote on the Bayard resolution: "The Irish-American citizens of New York welcome your speech of yester-day. They will not forget it."

CEE HERE, MEN! WHAT ARE YOU THINKING ABOUT?

YOU KNOW, AND WE KNOW, THAT YOU CAN BUY WINTER CLOTHING

TO-DAY FOR LESS MONEY THAN AT ANY TIME FOR TEN YEARS PAST. WE ARE ACTUALLY SELLING THE FINEST SUITS MADE THIS SEASON FOR THE COST OF THE CLOTH ALONE,

THERE NEVER WAS SUCH AN OPPOR-TUNITY TO BUY AN OVERCOAT FOR SO LITTLE MONEY AS AT THE PRESENT

WHY, GENTLEMEN, THE BIGGEST IN VESTMENT YOU CAN MAKE IS TO BUY AN OVERCOAT FOR NEXT WINTER, THE STYLES WILL NOT CHANGE, THE CLOTH WILL BE NO BETTER, AND WE SHALL BE COMPELLED TO ASK YOU DOUBLE FOR THEM ANOTHER SEA-SON. THERE IS NO HELP FOR A BIG INCREASE IN THE PRICE OF CLOTHING AT AN EARLY DATE, AND THOSE WHO WANT TO SAVE MONEY HAD BETTER TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE PRICE. PEEP IN OUR WINDOW-THEY TELL THE STORY OF OUR GREAT CLOSING SALE NOW IN PROGRESS AT

> A. SAKS & CO'S., TRADING ONE-PRICE CLOTHIERS. 1013 MAIN STREET. [Ja 97]

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, January 27 .- The share market was more active to-day. Aside from Lackawanna, St. Paul, and Northwestern, trading was limited. It is claimed by the coalers that the compact entered into will result in the con tinuance of the allied control of prices. and that the revenue will not be and that the revenue will be defined with by the action of the Pennsylvania. High prices for bituminous coal, it is claimed, means high prices for anthracite. The report is current that important negotiations are in progress with the West-Shore Railroad Company which will prove beneficial to the New York Central. Lackawannaat the close was | below the top prices of the day and 11 better than yesterday. Delaware and Hudson gained 11. Jersey Central 1. Lake Shore 1. Missouri Pacific 4. Manitoba I. Northern Pacific 1. and preferred 1. New York Central 1. Union Pacific and Western Union } each. Northwestern closed 1 St. Paul unchanged. Sales, 235,000 shares.

Noon .- Stocks strong. Money, per cent. Exchange—Long, 483a483\(\frac{1}{4}\); short, 487a487\(\frac{1}{4}\). Governments quiet. States firm.

Evening.—Exchange, 4834. Money,
1 per cent. Sub-Treasury balances—
Gold. \$128,148; currency, \$19,-

142. Governments firm; 4 per cents, 1211; 3 per cents, 1011 bid. State Alabama-Class A, 2 to 5, ... (bid) 81 B, 5's, sm'll (bid) 100 Georgia 6's (bid) 102 Natural Bridge. The engineer, Wesley Georgia 7's, mortgage Baily, was seriously injured, and will North Carolina's. probably die. As no information can (bid) North Carolina's, new .. e obtained from the railroad company, (bid) North Carolina funding(bid) 1051 South Carolina Brown con. Tennessee 6's (bid) Virginia 6's Virginia consols. Chesapeake and Ohio

Chicago and Northwestern Chicago and Northwestern p'fd., 126 Denver and Rio Grande . . Erie . East Tennessee Railroad. Lake Shore...... Louisville and Nashville Memphis and Charleston. Mobile and Ohio Nashville and Chattanooga. New Orleans Pacific 1st mort. . . 634 New York Central Norfolk and Western pref. Northern Pacific Northern Pacific pref. Pacific Mail ... Richmond and Danville .. Rich. and West Point Terminal .. Rock Island..... St. Paul preferred. Texas Pacific Union Pacific ... Wabash Pacific.,

Western Union .. BALTIMORE.

Wabash Pacific preferred . .

BALTIMORE, January 27 .- Virginia 6's, consols, 38; past-due coup 5; new 10-40's, 311; new 3's, 521. Bid to-day,

RICHMOND STOCK EXCHANGE. Tuesday, January 27, 1885. SALES .- 3,000 Virginia consols at 381; \$200 Richmond city 6's at 113. STATE SECURITIES. Bid. Asked. Virginia 10-40's...... 314 32

Virginia consols... Virginia peelers..... Va. con. tax-rec. coup., '82, 52] Va. con, tax-rec, coup., '83, 33 North Carolina 4's..... 825 North Carolina 6's ... CITY BONDS. Richmond city 8's.

1124 Richmond city 5's ... R., F. & P. ext. 6's.

R. and D. con. 6's, 1890. R. and D. gold 6's 95 R. and Alle, 1st mort, 7's, 52† Atlanta and Charlotte 7's., 109 C., C. and A. 2d 7's. 96 Georgia Pacific 1st 6's. .. RAILBOAD STOCKS. Par. R., F. & P. div. scrip ... C. and O. common...... 100 5 Rich. & Petersburg.... 100 75

Petersburg Railroad....100 233 Rich, & Alleghany, 100 Char., Col. & Augusta. 100 Atlanta & Charlotte... 100 67 ..100 84 North Carolina. 190 84 Norfolk & W. pref 100 204 Virginia Midland com., ... INSUBANCE COS. Va. Fire and Marine 25 344

Virginia State ... 25 331 Virginia Home, ... 25 17

Virginia Home

GRAIN AND COTTON EXCHANGE. RICHMOND, January 27, 1885. OFFERINGS.

WHEAT.—White, 400 bushels. Mixed, 1,800 bushels. Red, 654 bushels. Total, 2,854 bushels. CORN. - White, 1,240 bushels. Mixed 500 bushels. OATS .- 1,900 bushels. PEAS.-38 bushels. SALES REPORTED TO SECRETARY.

WHEAT .- White, 400 bushels good

to very good at 95 to 97c. Mixed, 600 bushels prime at 96c. Red, 124 bush-els common to good Longberry at 80 to 95c.; 338 bushels common to very good Shortberry at 80 to 92c. CORN.—White, 40 bushels very good Virginia at 55c.

OATS .- 100 bushels prime white at FLOUR. We quote : Fine, \$2.25a\$2.50 ; super-

fine, \$2.25a\$3; extra, \$3.50a\$3.90; family, \$4.25a\$5; patent family, country, \$5a\$5.25. Market firmer RICHMOND TOBACCO MARKET. RICHMOND, January 27, 1885. Market rules firm on all dark tobac-

cos. Loose breaks again show some increase in good to fine leaf. Bright wrappers have sold more freely, but the general tone for them is DARK TOBACCO.

Lugs: Common, \$4.50a\$5,50; good, Leaf: Common, \$7.50a\$8.50; good, \$9a\$10; fine, \$1 14\$12. SUN-CURED.

Lugs: Common, \$5a\$6; sound, \$6.50a88. Leaf: Common, \$8a\$9; medium, \$9.50a\$11; good, \$11.50a\$16; fine \$20a

colory, \$9a\$11; good bright, \$12a\$18; very good to fine, \$15a\$20.

Wrappers: Common, \$13a\$16; good medium, \$17a\$20; good to very good mahogany, \$22.50a\$30; good bright, \$32.50a\$37.50; very good bright to fine, \$40.855

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, January 27.—Cot quiet; sales, 177 bales; uplas 11 3-16c.; Orleans, 11 7-16c.; cons dated net receipts, 13,213 bales; ports—to Great Britain, 16,567 bal to France, 2,350 bales; to the continent, 947 bales, Flournent, 947 bales. Flour—Southern barely steady; common to fair extra, \$3.25e \$4.25; good to choice extra, \$4.30a \$5.75. Wheat—Spot, a shade lower; ungraded red, 824a95c.; No. 2 red, February, 904a91c. Corn—Spot, la 24c. lower; ungraded, 52a55c.; No. 2, Lanuary, 51a593c. 24c. lower; ungraded, 52a55c.; No. 2, January, 51a524c.; Pebruary, 504a 504c. Oats 1sic. lower; No. 2, Pebruary, 361a364c. Hops firm. Coffee—Spot fair; Rio quiet at \$9.50; No. 7 Rio spot, \$7.90; Pebruary, \$7.65a \$7.75. Sugar dull; fair to good refining, 5a54c.; refined weaker; C, 5a54c.; extra C, 54a54c.; white extra C, 54a54c.; yellow. 41a5c.; off A, 54a54c. 54c.; yellow, 44a5c.; off A; 54a5fc.; mould A, 64c.; standard A, 6a6fc.; confectioners' A, 64c.; cut-losf and crushed. 64a6fc. crushed, 6ja6je.; powdered, 6je., granulated, 6ja6je.; cubes, 6je. Mo lasses unchanged Rice steady. seed oil, 36a38c. for crude; 41c. for refined. Rosin dull. Turpentine steady

February, 87. Freights steadier. BALTIMORE. BALTIMORE, January 27 .- Flour steady and easier Wheat—Southern red, 95a96c.; amber, 97a98c.; No. 1 Maryland, 94a941c.; No. 2 western winter red, spot, 904a904c. Corn-Southern steady: western easier and quiet; southern white, 54a56c.; yel-low, 50a51c. Oats strong and dull; southern, 35a38c.; western white, 37a 38c.; mixed, 34a36c.; Pennsylvania, 35a37. Provisions quiet and a . Whiskey quiet at \$1.18a\$1.19. articles unchanged. Freights steady. Other quiet.

quiet and very steady; mess, \$13.25. Middles dull; long clear, 6jc. Lard

3a5c. lower; contract grade, \$7.20;

CINCINNATI. CINCINNATI, January 27 .- Flour

firm and in fair demand at previous prices. Wheat—No. 2 red, 86a87c. Corn stronger; No. 2 mixed, 44c. Oats quiet; No. 2 mixed, 331c. Pork quiet and firm, \$12.25a\$12.50. Lard in good demand at \$6.95a\$7. Bulkmeats and bacon firm and unchanged, Whiskey steady and firm at \$1.11. Sugar easier but not quotably lower. Hogs steady and firm; common and light, \$3.65a\$4.75; packing and butchers', \$4.45a\$4.95. CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, January 27.—Flour un-changed. Wheat slightly lower; Janu-ary, 78a79c.; February, 784c.; No. 2 spring, 78a78½c. Corn easy and ic. lower; cash, 37½c.; February, 37¼a 37½. Oats quiet and weak; January, nominal, 27 tc.; February, nominal, 27 [c. Mess-pork 10al5c, higher, but receded and closed steady; cash, \$12.20 a\$12.25; February, \$12.25a\$12.35. Lard 24a5c, higher; cash and February, \$6.874a\$6.90. Boxed-meats a shade firmer; dry-salted shoulders, \$4.90a \$4.95; short-rib, \$6.25a\$6.30; clear, \$6.70a\$6.75. Whiskey firm at \$1.13. Sugars firm and unchanged.

IGrain and Provision Circular. CHICAGO, January 27-5 P. M .-C. E. Redford, 6 south Twelfth street : Dear Sir,-Wheat steady at 841c. for May. Commission houses had long orders to buy May wheat first at 854c., then at 85c., but once below the latter price a good many weak holders sold, giving bears an excellent opportunity to pound the market, which they improved. It looks now as though local shorts are willing to cover, and in the absence of startling failures look for 125 better prices. Corn and provisions remarkable strength wheat was weakest pork was at the highest point of the day, closing at \$12.62 for May pork; 414c. for corn, \$7.15 for lard, \$6.50 for ribs. Shipments of meats are very large, receipts of hogs small, and there appears no reason why they may not yet go much higher. Corn too dull for speculation, but wanted on its merits. Estimated receipts for to-morrow: Wheat, 80 cars; corn, 200 cars; hogs, 30,000

head. Меревито & Со. LOUISVILLE. LOUISVILLE, January 27 .- Wheat steady; No. 2 red, 83c, Corn-No. 2 mixed, 434c. Oats-No. 2 mixed, 334c. Provisions strong. Pork—Mess, 813. Bulk-meats—Shoulders, 85; clear rib, \$6.50; sides, \$6.75. Bacon-Shoulders, \$5.50; clear rib, \$7.25; sides, \$7.624. Sugar-cured hams, \$10.25. Lard firm; prime leaf, \$8.50.

ST. LOUIS. St. Louis, January 27 .- Flour unchanged. Wheat lower; No. 2 red, 86a 87c.; cash, 854a864c. February. Corn a shade off and slow; 354a364c. cash; 3542364c. February. Oats lower and slow; 30a304c. cash. Whiskey steady at \$1.12. Provisions stronger. Pork, \$12.50. Lard, \$6.75a\$6.80. Bulkmeats-Long clear, \$6.30; short ribs, \$6.40; clear, \$6.65. Bacon-Long clear, \$7; short rib, \$7.124a\$7.25; clear, \$7.374a\$7.45.

MILWAUKEE. MILWAUKEE, January 27.—Flour unchanged. Wheat steady; No. 2 cash, 774c. Corn dull; none here. Oats dull; No. 2, 30a31c. Provisions higher. Mess pork, \$12.30 cash and February. Lard-Prime steam, \$6.90 cash and February. Sweet-pickled hams firm at 84a9c. Hogs higher at \$4.40\$4.75.

WILMINGTON. WILMINGTON, N. C., January 27 .-Turpentine firm at 274c. Rosin firm; strained, \$1; good, \$1.05. Tar firm at \$1.10. Crude turpentine steady; hard, \$1.15; yellow dip and virgin, \$1.75. NEW YORK COTTON FUTURES.

NEW YORK, January 27.—Cotton— Net receipts, 172 bales; gross re-ceipts, 6,077 bales. Futures closed weak; sales, 101,800 bales; January, \$11.21a\$11.23; February, \$11.20a \$11.22; March, \$11.27a\$11.28; April, \$11.30a\$11.33; May, \$11.41a\$11.42; June, \$11.51a\$11.52; July, \$11.61a

MARINE INTELLIGENCE MINIATURE ALMANAC, JANU'Y 28, 1885. PORT OF RICHMOND, JANUARY 27, 1886.

Steamer Ariel, Gifford, Norfolk, United States mail, merchandise and passengers, L. B. Tatum, agent. SAILED. Steamer Old Dominion, Smith, New York nerchandise and passengers, G. W. Allen

merchandise and passengers.
Co., agents.
Steamer Ashland. Pannill, Philadelphia,
merchandise and passengers, J. W. McCarrick, agent.
CLEARED.

\$9.50a\$11; good, \$11.50a\$16; fine \$20a \$35.

BRIGHT TOBACCO-MANUFACTURING. Smokers: Common, \$10a\$13; good, \$14a\$17; fine, \$20a\$27.50.

Fillers: Common red, \$7a\$8; good

[By telegraph.]
SAILED.
Steamship Hudson (Br.). Brevis. B

Schooner Austen Looke (Br.), Peters, Rio Grande do Sul, flour, Gallego-Mills Mauu-facturing Company; vessei, Curtis & Parker. PORT OF NEWPORT'S NEWS, JAN'T 27.